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**Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT****TO** : Chief, Plans and Policy Staff  
**THRU** : Chief, Intelligence School**DATE:** 19 October 1955**FROM** :**SUBJECT:** Studies in Intelligence Project  
Report of Activities  
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1. Still more comments on the first issue of Studies in Intelligence:

(a) Mr. Allan Evans, Director, OIP/Department of State, has written as follows:

I want to acknowledge, and express my appreciation of, the excellent publication which your office has put out. The Studies promise a fascinating and useful new departure; all Sherman Kent and your editors say is well taken.

Mr. Evans also sent us a very short manuscript of his on "Qualifications for Government Research" and offered it as filler or as the germ for a new article. I am going to suggest to him that he might expand on some of the ideas in it and submit the results for our consideration as a full-scale contribution.

(b) Mr. Huntington Sheldon, AD/CI, has suggested that an appropriate Study subject would be the researches conducted over the last four years on indications intelligence by Mr.

25X1A [redacted] of OCI. Today, Mr. [redacted] and I met with [redacted] to discuss the possibility; he left with us the introduction to his report. There are at least three problems that we will have to consider: first, the report is on a highly controversial subject and one on which the active participation of the IAC agencies is far from settled; second, the report may be over-technical for our purposes; and third, it draws on special intelligence sources which are out-of-bounds for the Study series but without which the report might be of little interest or value.

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2. The second issue (on capabilities) will be ready for the printer next week.

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